

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

June 15, 2014



Shirley Fire, Kern County. Photo credit: ABC 23, KERO Bakersfield.



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Shirley Fire, Vegetation Fire, Kern County (Update)

The Shirley Fire is a Federal Responsibility Area (FRA) fire burning near Rancheria Road and Highway 155, in the Shirley Peak / Shirley Meadows area of Kern County.

Fire Information:

- Due to a system wide outage impacting FAMWEB 209 access, the following information has been gathered by the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer from the US Forest Service SOPS Intel:
- Size: **2,000 acres, 5% contained**
- 3 structures have been destroyed, 1,000 structures threatened
- Evacuation Details: Over 500 homes in the Wofford Heights area of the Kern Valley. The areas of mandatory evacuation are Pala Ranches, Juniper Highlands, Old State Road, all residences between Old State Road and Evans Road on State Highway 155.
- Advisory evacuation in the Alta Sierra area.
- Evacuation Shelter Located at: Lake Isabella Senior Center with an overnight population of 11.
- Cal OES Fire, Law, and Region personnel continue to monitor the situation.

Los Angeles County (City of Los Angeles) – L.A. Kings Stanley Cup Victory Parade (New)

The L.A. Kings Stanley Cup Victory Parade is scheduled to begin at noon on Monday, 06/16/14, and will begin on the corner of Figueroa and West 5th Streets, go down Figueroa and end at the Staples Center. Immediately after, a rally will be held inside Staples Center at 1300 hours.

The City of Los Angeles Emergency Management Division's Emergency Operations Center (EOC), the Los Angeles County Emergency Operations Center (CEOC), and Sheriff's Emergency Operations Bureau (EOB) are going to activate at a Level 1 for the parade. Cal OES Southern Region will monitor the event at a Duty Officer Level I activation.



SITUATION SUMMARY

Significant Weather

Freeze Watch in effect from late Monday night to Tuesday morning for portions of Modoc and Siskiyou Counties.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Major Construction U.S. Highway 50, Sacramento, Sacramento County

- Major construction began April 22, 2014 on a section of U.S. Highway 50 in Sacramento between 18th and 24th Streets.
- Westbound Phase 2 construction began June 6 and is scheduled to end June 25.
- Please see “Fix 50” slides for additional information.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

An upper level trough will linger over the Pacific Northwest for the next several days. Nighttime and morning coastal low clouds will redevelop again tonight. Dry weather will persist into next week with a gradual warming trend later next week as high pressure returns.

San Francisco Weather:

Temperatures will be noticeably cooler today through the start of the workweek with the return of a cooler marine air mass. Dry conditions persist along with a slight warming trend for the latter half of the week as high pressure builds off the west coast.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Fair weather through the coming week with no precipitation expected. Near normal temperatures are forecasted through mid-week then warming.

Hanford Weather:

A broad area of low pressure will remain over the western states the next few days resulting in a modest cooling trend. Afternoon temperatures will be at their lowest Tuesday afternoon running few degrees below normal for mid-June. Breezy westerly winds can be expected during the evening today and Monday primarily through passes and across the desert areas of eastern Kern County. Slightly warmer conditions will return for the end of the work week. Overnight temperatures will remain mild.



WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION: (Cont.)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

A broad trough of low pressure will deepen slightly through Monday bringing a cooling trend and more night through morning low clouds and fog for the coast and valleys. A warming trend is then expected for Wednesday and Thursday as a ridge of high pressure builds in from the west. Another cool down is possible for the end of next week as a weak low pressure system may approach from the west.

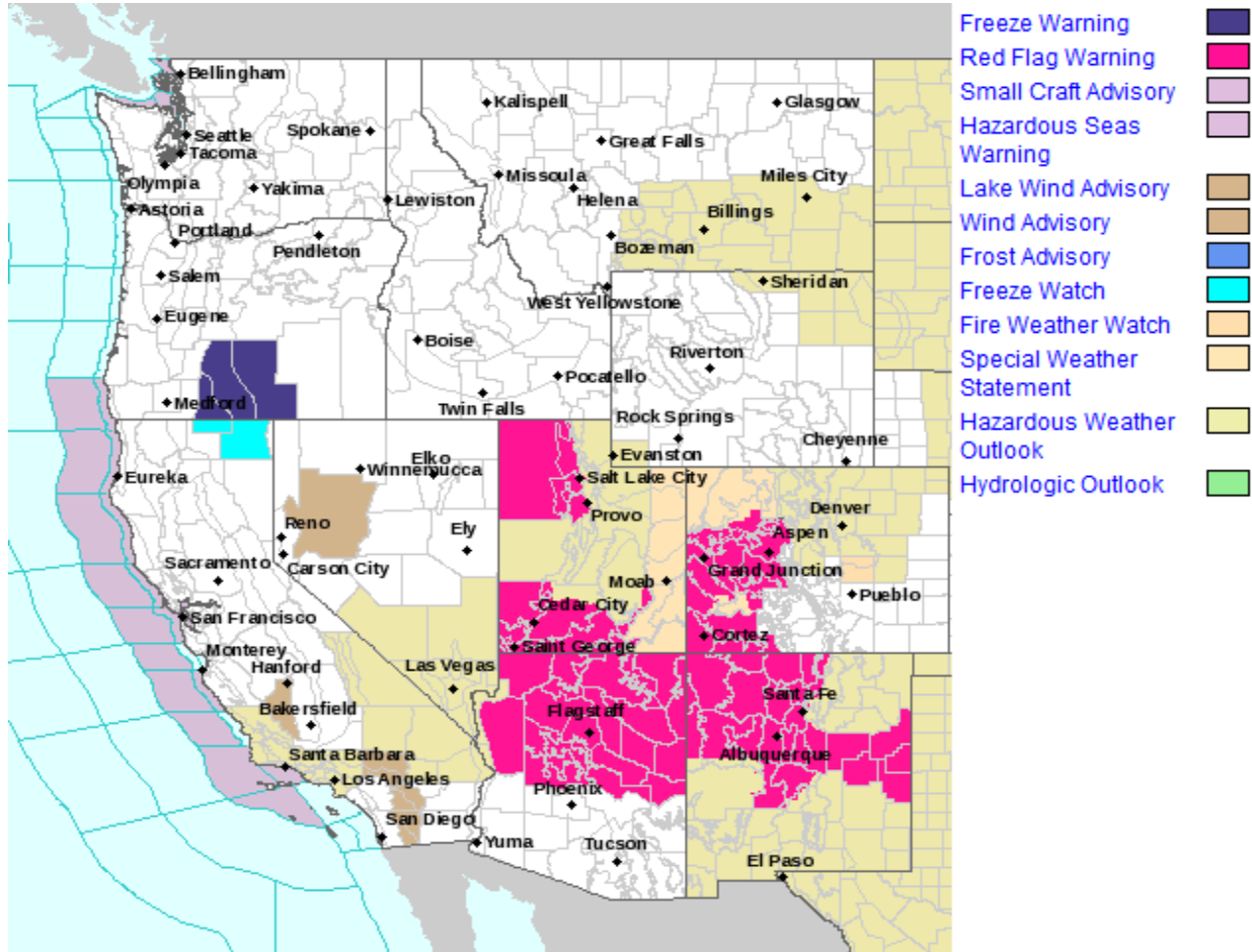
Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

Seasonal weather will continue through next week. Low clouds will continue in the coastal areas and portions of the valleys during the nights and mornings and gusty west winds will continue in the mountains and deserts during the late afternoon through early morning hours each day. Winds will be strongest this evening through late Tuesday night.

Southeast California Weather:

Gusty southwesterly winds are expected through Tuesday with the strongest gusts around 35 knots expected in Mohave and northwest San Bernardino counties in the afternoons. No operationally significant clouds are expected through Monday then a few thunderstorms may develop over the higher terrain of the southern great basin Tuesday afternoon.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Jun, 15th 2014 at 10:27:39 am MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 2

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

FIRE ACTIVITY

Southern California

Shirley Fire, Vegetation Fire, Kern County

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Start Date/Time: 06/13/14, 1900 hours

Fire Information:

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- Size: **2,000 acres, 5% contained**
- 3 structures have been destroyed, 1,000 structures threatened
- USFS and the Bureau of Land Management are in Unified Command and a California Interagency Incident Management Team (CIIMT) has arrived.

Evacuations/Shelters:

- Evacuation Details: The Kern County Sheriff's Office has evacuated over 500 homes in the Wofford Heights area of the Kern Valley area due to the Shirley Fire. The areas of mandatory evacuation are Pala Ranches, Juniper Highlands, Old State Road, all residences between Old State Road and Evans Road on State Highway 155.
- Advisory evacuation in the Alta Sierra area.
- The evacuation shelter is located at: Lake Isabella Senior Center, 6405 Lake Isabella Boulevard Lake Isabella, CA 93240 with an overnight population of 11.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Shirley Incident, Kern County (Cont.)

Road Closures:

- SR 155 is closed from Woody to Wofford Heights

Several soft road closures are in place for portions of the following roads:

- Rancheria Road / Forest Road No. 25S15
- Wagy Flat Road / Forest Road No. 25S02
- Sawmill Road / Forest Road No. 26S03
- Alder Creek Road / Forest Road No. 25S04

Activations:

- Kern County is activated at Level 1, Duty Officer Status, in support of the Shirley Vegetation Fire.

Deployments:

- A Cal OES Law Enforcement Assistant Chief will be responding to the ICP this afternoon.

SHIRLEY FIRE MAP



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“Fix 50” Information

Major Construction U.S. Highway 50, Sacramento, Sacramento County

- Major construction is scheduled on a section of U.S. Highway 50 in Sacramento between 18th and 24th Streets.

2014 Project Dates

Westbound Highway 50: May 27 – June 25

Phase 2 – June 6 to June 25

During Westbound, Phase 2, the following ramps will be closed:

- 16th Street Off-Ramp
 - Connector ramp from westbound Business 80 to westbound Highway 50
 - Only one lane will be open on the Connector ramp from northbound Highway 99 to westbound Highway 50.
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- 2-3 through lanes will be open
 - Eastbound traffic will be fully open as normal with no impact.



CAL OES ACTIVATIONS

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is 0800-1700 hours.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Situational Summary

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue without substantial rainfall, severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

On April 25, 2014 Governor Brown released an Executive Order on Friday enabling several urgent actions to be taken as the drought persists into the state's traditional dry season.

** As this rainy season comes to an end, it is highly unlikely that precipitation totals will increase significantly over the coming months. This winter's below average rain and snowfall worsens conditions in this third straight dry year.**

Situational Summary (Cont.)

- The Taskforce continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- The final manual snowpack survey of the season was conducted on Thursday (May 1) and showed California snowpack at 18% of normal.
- DWR has announced that water essential for health and safety will be delivered through the state water project. The current State Water Project Allocation is 5%.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.

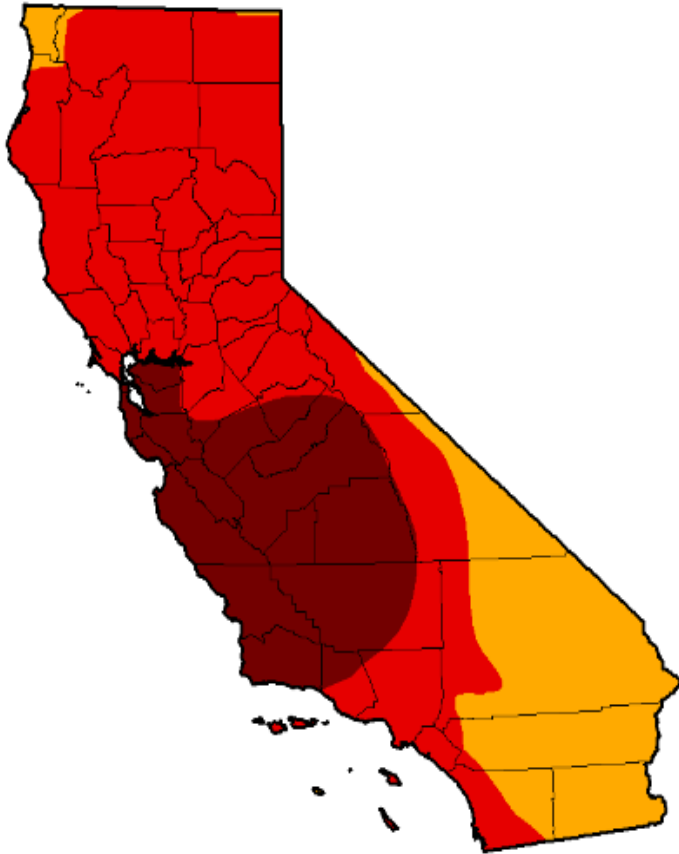
U.S. Drought Monitor

California

June 10, 2014
(Released Thursday June 12, 2014)
Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Condition (Percent Area):

Week	Date	Nothing	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	6/10/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	76.68	24.77
Last Week	6/3/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	76.68	24.77
3 Months Ago	3/11/2014	0.01	99.99	94.56	90.81	65.89	22.37
Start of Calendar Year	12/31/2013	2.61	97.39	94.25	87.53	27.59	0.00
Start of Water Year	10/1/2013	2.63	97.37	95.95	84.12	11.36	0.00
One Year Ago	6/11/2013	0.00	100.00	98.16	53.54	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

■ D0 - Abnormally Dry
■ D1 - Moderate Drought
■ D2 - Severe Drought

■ D3 - Extreme Drought
■ D4 - Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying [text summary](#) for forecast statements.

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Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County		Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/3/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	6/3/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	6/3/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	4/3/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	5/27/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	5/13/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	5/5/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	5/15/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	5/30/2014
Coastal Region			
County		Request	Reaffirmation Received
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County		Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 6/2014	No specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Inland Region		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Coastal Region		
Hoopa Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Svs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sonoma County Water Agency	2/25/2014	
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Southern Region		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Drought Condition
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency



County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 6/11/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	5/19/2014	11/1/2014
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	5/16/2014	6/13/2014
Madera	5/29/2014	6/18/2014
Merced	6/5/2014	7/10/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Napa		5/28/2014
Nevada	5/29/2014	TBD
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	5/5/2014	6/2/2014
Sacramento	5/2/2014	6/12/2014
San Joaquin	4/16/2014	6/18/2014
Siskiyou	4/22/2014	
Stanislaus	5/8/2014	6/19/2014
Sutter	5/8/2014	6/12/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	5/19/2014	TBD
Tuolumne	5/1/2014	6/12/2014
Yolo	5/1/2014	6/5/2014 canceled; rescheduled July 3
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe		
Lake	N/A	TBD
Mendocino	5/7/2014	5/28/2014
Monterey	N/A	5/29/2014
San Mateo	N/A	5/22/2014
Southern Region		
Orange	4/1/2014	6/25/2014
San Luis Obispo	5/15/2014	TBD
Santa Barbara	5/28/2014	6/25/2014

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CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-3841**, at 1841 hours on June 14, 2014, the Air Force Rescue and Coordination Center (AFRCC) request that an ELT be located and silenced sounding in Monterey County. ELT located and silenced non distress. **Mission Closed.**
- **2014-LAW-3836**, The IERCC reported a Delorme device activation near Vernal Falls in Yosemite, Mariposa County. Cal OES Law Duty Officer advised that Yosemite National Park personnel was at scene with a female who had a broken ankle. Mission closed.
- **2014-LAW-3815**, The IERCC reported a Delorme device activation in Los Angeles County. Cal OES Law Duty Officer advised that a female with heatstroke was extricated by a fire helicopter.
- **2014-LAW-3810**, Marin Search and Rescue requested SAR K-9s and ground searchers for a search involving a 9 year old female in Samuel P. Taylor State Park, Lagunitas-Forest Knolls, Marin County. On 06/14/14 at 1013 hours, Marin County Sheriffs SAR advised the Cal OES Law Duty Officer that the child was found alive and well. All Mutual Aid resources were released to their home stations.

CAL OES DEPLOYMENTS

Cal OES Deployments

- MIGU 3 has been deployed to Corning, assisting Tehama County Sherriff's Office with OASIS connectivity.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.